

## IMPERIAL COUNTY FARM BU

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Mr. Arthur G. Baggett, Jr. State Water Resources Control Board 1000 "I" Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Mr. Baggett;

It is essential that landowners and farmers within the Imperial Irrigation District not be held responsible and must be indemnified against any claims involving environmental, property, or personal damages arising from the Imperial Irrigation District's good-faith fulfillment of its contractual and legal obligations to conserve and transfer water pursuant to its agreement with San Diego County Water Authority, the QSA, and other related legal documents.

Sincerely,

Michael Cox, President

Imperial County Farm Bureau